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THE COMET.

The second comet of 1874, in which the popular interest is daily deepening, appears to have defied astronomical computation till very recently. For some weeks in June it was approaching the earth in so direct a line that the calculations were very difficult. The Berlin ephemeris of its position, brilliancy and future pathway, so freely published last month, because so confidently trusted in this country, proved to be decidedly fallacious in some points. In the last few days the meteor has altered its course and is now more easily studied; but very precise predictions are as yet premature. It now appears that its greatest brilliancy will occur from July 21 to 31 of August, and the degree of luminosity will be between that of Jupiter and that of Venus. The nucleus will be seen to the best advantage about twilight, the comet being so near the sun that it will not be so well observed two or three hours after the latter sinks below the western horizon. The brightness of the meteor stream will then be three times as great as it is now.

On Tuesday, the 9th of June, from micro-metrical comparisons with a star in the Boon catalogue, the distinguished astronomer, J. R. Hind, of Mr. Bishop's observatory, Twickenham, England, found that Coggia's comet was then rather brighter than Argelander's stars of the sixth magnitude, and the tail was traceable about two degrees from the nucleus, which still presented a very stellar appearance. Mr. Hind also determined that its perihelion passage would take place on the 8th of July, when its distance from the sun would be sixty-seven minutes of the earth's mean distance—i. e., about sixty-one million miles. This seems to be very near the central orb of fire; but there are instances of much nearer approach, as in the comet of 1680, which swept within six hundred thousand miles of the sun. It did not, however, merge into the sun, as comets have never been known to do, contrary to a vague theory that has been largely entertained, as if the nebular matter was fuel for its mighty furnaces. So far from this rash venture upon the sun's domains effecting a lodgement on its incandescent and tumulous surface, it was subjected to an enormous repulsion, and from the point of perihelion was shot out into space with an inconceivable force, far greater than that with which the solar heat acted upon and controlled the head of the comet itself. The amount of this force may be faintly indicated when we reflect that the cometary matter was then glowing with a heat twenty-five thousand six hundred times as intense as that which raises at noonday on our Equator—a heat in which any terrestrial substance known to us would instantly be converted into vapor.

The condition of a comet, after it has passed the perihelion, must be very different from what it was before; but that difference is yet to be ascertained, except in the mere fact that from disunion by act of heat the meteor has undergone great attenuation and analysis. The comet of 1680, after which we have alluded, and that of 1843, after which in augmented splendor emerged from them in augmented splendor and with vastly enlarged tails, as if they had caught up new supplies of light and fire from the great luminary. It would not be, therefore, a great surprise if Coggia's comet should do the same, though instances are recorded in which immersion in the solar rays has stripped the flying meteor of much of its glory. The idea has been expressed that the present comet will intersect the earth's orbit and come in collision with us. The opinion prevailed with Sir John Herschel and others that if ever the earth swallowed up a comet it would be on the 30th of November, when Biela's comet approached very near. But there is great doubt whether, in the event of actual collision, any harm would ensue or even any one be cognizant of it. The comet is a material substance, since it has been proved that it shines by reflected light; but its tenuousness is almost inconceivable. The cometic particles form a cosmical fog or vapor so light that, through Donati's comet, where the stars clearly shone, meteors were in no degree eclipsed, as it was directed directly through this enormous band of mist. We may, therefore, safely dismiss the long standing superstition of—

A pathless comet and a curse
The menace of the universe.

As we have already intimated, the orbit of Coggia's comet has not been precisely determined. A few days may suffice to reveal its exact pathway as it nears the earth.—*New York Herald.*

THE BEECHER-TILTON AFFAIR.—The N. Y. Golden Age of this week contains the valdictory of Mr. Theodore Tilton, its former editor. The same paper contains an article in relation to the great scandal in which Mr. Tilton and Rev. H. W. Beecher are the principals. The articles referred to may be viewed as an official explanation from Mr. Tilton. Of the great scandal it says: "He (Tilton) has been assailed directly and in the most explicit terms by Dr. Beecher—a kind man and a just one too—who undoubtedly supposed from what he had learned through Mr. Beecher and his friends that Mr. Tilton was a knave and a dog, the creature of a too-forgiving pastor's magnanimity, a scandal monger and a falsifier, who had tried to ruin the most beloved of ministers. Such aspersions from a pen of one of the leading and most eminent divines in America, published in a religious paper of large circulation and commented on by the press of the whole country, were of too serious a character to be borne in silence or passed by. Mr. Tilton's character and standing as a man among men were involved, and silence on his part was a tacit acknowledgment of the justice of Dr. Beecher's aspersions and the correctness of the erroneous statements by which they were supported. One sentence from Mr. Beecher's lips or pen would have drawn the poisoned arrow and healed the smart. Mr. Tilton called Mr. Beecher's attention to the offensive statements and in the presence of two witnesses told him that unless he corrected the misrepresentations in his way it would be necessary for himself to correct them in his own way, which would be done. Weeks passed and no correction was made. Longer silence on his part was impossible. In replying to Dr. Beecher he did what any other innocent and honorable man who cared for his reputation and had the courage to defend it would have done under the circumstances. And the reply was that what he failed to suggest any other method for righting the wrong that had been done, though he was asked to do so. All that Mr. Tilton asks for himself, and all his friends demanded for him, is justice."

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LEGAL NOTICES.

IN PRINCE WILLIAM CIRCUIT COURT,

May 13th, 1874.
Jno. B. Hunton, survivor of himself and Robert H. Hunton, deceased, plaintiffs,
Against
Catharine Purcell, Thomas K. Davis and Martha H. Stone and Emma H. Stone, James R. Purcell in his own right and as administrator of James Purcell, deceased, Wm. E. Goodwin in his own right and as Sheriff, committee administrator of Lucien B. Purcell, deceased, Francis J. Cannon, John Clark and Joseph B. Reid, defendants. In chancery.

"On consideration whereof, it is adjudged, ordered and decreed that: James R. Purcell, administrator of James Purcell, deceased, do render before one of the Commissioners of this Court an account of his actings and doings as administrator of the estate of the said James Purcell, deceased, and that said Commissioner do take an account of the assets of the said decedent at the time of his death, and also of the debts of the estate, with their priorities, and that he also take an account of the real estate, with its annual and fee simple value."

1872, May 15.
"On consideration whereof, the Court doth recommit the said report with the said exceptions to the said Commissioner Sinclair for enquiry into the matters raised by the exceptions and for such other orders as may be proved."

1874, May 11.
"It appearing to the Court that R. A. Sinclair, a Master Commissioner of this Court, hath moved to Alexandria and cannot conveniently execute the order entered in this cause, the Court doth direct that Wm. E. Lipscomb, a Master Commissioner of this Court, do proceed to execute the order of reference heretofore entered in the said cause."—[June extracts.]

Teste: L. A. DAVIS, Clerk.

Commissioner's Office,

Brentsville, June 8, 1874.

To the plaintiffs and defendants in the above suit and all others interested:

Take notice, That I have appointed SATURDAY, the 18th day of July, 1874, at my office, in the town of Brentsville, to execute the decree of which the foregoing is a true extract, at which time and place you are required to attend. Given under my hand and year above written.
WM. E. LIPSCOMB.
je 15-w4w

IN PRINCE WILLIAM CIRCUIT COURT,

May 13th, 1874.

John H. Butler, Sheriff of Prince William county, committee administrator of John Camper, deceased, plaintiff,
Against
John H. Butler, Sheriff, committee adm'r. of John T. Williams, deceased, Vernon Davis, Aylet Nicol, Wm. E. Lipscomb, H. Colvin, Wm. Sealeman, J. Howell Asmus, Basil Brawner, adm'r. of Wm. G. Brawner, Wm. W. Davis, J. K. Kitchel, executors, parties, against Gaines & Kitchel, Thos. Rigg, Mortimer Connell, adm'r. of John A. King, D. F. Phillips, adm'r. of Wm. F. Phillips, Eppa Hunton, ex'r of P. D. Lipscomb, and Jos. Curl, defendants. In chancery.

On consideration whereof, the Court doth adjudge, order and decree that: Wm. E. Lipscomb, one of the Commissioners of this Court, do ascertain and report whether any of the debts enumerated in the deed of trust mentioned in said bill have been paid, and which; and said Commissioner is directed to report any other items upon said tract of land in the bill mentioned.—[June extract.]

Teste: L. A. DAVIS, Clerk.

Commissioner's Office,

Brentsville, June 8, 1874.

To the plaintiff and defendants in the above cause and all others interested:

Take notice, That I have appointed FRIDAY, the 17th day of July, 1874, at my office in the town of Brentsville, to execute the decree of which the above is a true extract, at which time and place you are required to attend. Given under my hand as Commissioner of the said Court the day and year above written.
WM. E. LIPSCOMB.
je 15-w4w

J. J. Davis, p. q.

IN PRINCE WILLIAM CIRCUIT COURT,

May 13th, 1874.

John R. Johnston, plaintiff,
Against
John R. Johnston, executor of Turnley Rigg, deceased, Richard W. Johnston, Charles S. Stone and Turnley Rigg, defendants. In chancery.

On consideration whereof, the Court doth adjudge, order and decree that: the complainant, executor of Turnley Rigg, deceased, do render before one of the Commissioners of this Court his account as such executor; that said Commissioner also report the outstanding debts against the estate of said Turnley Rigg and their priorities, and also what estate, real and personal, said Rigg died possessed of, and the value of the same.—[June extract